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CONDEMNING RAPE

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On November 14, Emboff met with Rudra Nepal, Under Secretary for the UN and International Organizations at the Foreign Ministry, and requested Nepal's UN delegation vote against amendments to the anti-rape resolution and support the adoption of the resolution without amendments as per Ref A. Rudra Nepal reiterated his government's support for the resolution (Ref B) and said that Nepal's delegation in New York has already been instructed to vote affirmatively without amendment. The Under Secretary did not say whether Nepal would cosponsor the resolution. POWELL